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Written **Testimony** Aloha - our Foundation has long admired the work of Malama Honua Public Charter School. Based upon their compelling vision and location in Windward, Oahu the Harold KL Castle Foundation provided early seed funding to help the school open, recruit a principal and train teachers. Their capable Board has assembled a talented team of educators who are doing a fantastic job providing students with a high quality education. As they grow their student body, they are restricted by the space they occupy. This prevents them from serving more students and reaching a point of being fully sustainable based on student enrollment numbers. We appreciate the Council's willingness to consider this GIA request that is critical to the future of

Windward Oahu's students.

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